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Re: ROBERT J. MULLIGAN
Patent Application Entitled: Device Housing Responsive to an Environmental Stimulus
Serial No. 10/071,938
Account No. 50-1111

To Whom It May Concern:

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If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

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